

FUTURA

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CITILABS INTERNATIONAL USER CONFERENCE
NOVEMBER 1 - 7, 2008 | PALM SPRINGS - USA

Welcome to Futura '08

Dear Colleague,

It is with great pleasure and enthusiasm that I present this program for Futura '08.

Once again, we have an exciting program planned, with sessions on diverse topics, such as land use-transport modeling, using the geodatabase, and reducing model run times with Cube Cluster. And of course, we have sessions discussing the latest and soon-to-come features in various Cube modules, along with your chance to attend office hours with Cube experts. Perhaps most importantly, the conference offers you an opportunity to mingle with each other, a chance to learn and have fun together.

I look forward to meeting you!

With warmest regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M Clarke', written in a cursive style.

Michael Clarke
President & CEO
Citilabs

Conference Information

This page provides basic information about Futura '08

Venue

Conference functions will be held at:
Hilton Palm Springs
400 East Tahquitz Canyon Way
Palm Springs, California 92262
Phone: 760 320 6868 | Fax: 760 320 2126
Web: www.hiltonpalmsprings.com

Registration

The conference registration desk will be open:
Sunday 19:00 - 21:30 and Monday 8:00 - 10:00

Special Events

Golf Tournament

Sunday 8:00 - 13:00. Participants should meet at 7:15 in the hotel lobby for the shuttle. Arrange rental clubs in advance by contacting Tor Vorraa (tvorraa@citilabs.com). Please wear soft spikes or tennis shoes. No jeans.

Aerial Tramway Trip and Dinner

Tuesday afternoon, 16:00 - 20:30. Attendees should meet at 15:45 in the hotel lobby.

Miniature Golf Tournament

Wednesday afternoon 15:00 - 17:00. Attendees should meet at 14:30 in the hotel lobby.

Cube Demonstration Stations

Personal computers, with all Cube modules and demonstration data installed, will be available for use during the conference.

Conference Dress Code

The suggested dress code for the conference is business casual. Please wear comfortable clothing.

Conference Schedule

Saturday November 1

09:00 - 16:00 PAID TRAINING	Introduction to Cube Base: Working with Cube 5 and the GIS Window* <i>Instructor: Colby Brown</i>	Intermediate Application Development with Cube Voyager* <i>Instructor: Kenneth Vaughn</i>	Introduction to Dynamic Traffic Assignment with Cube Avenue* <i>Instructor: Matthew Martimo</i>
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Sunday November 2

8:00 - 13:00	Futura Golf Tournament - Tahquitz Creek Golf Resort		
09:00 - 16:00 PAID TRAINING	Introduction to Cube Base: Working with Cube 5 and the GIS Window* <i>Instructor: Colby Brown</i>	Intermediate Application Development with Cube Voyager* <i>Instructor: Kenneth Vaughn</i>	
19:00 - 21:30	Welcome Reception and Registration - Hilton Hotel pool side		

Monday November 3

08:00 - 10:00	Registration and Breakfast		
10:00 - 12:00	Keynote Address - Michael Clarke		
12:00 - 13:30	Group Lunch		
13:30 - 15:00	GIS - T	Assignment	Office Hours
	Network conflation in Minneapolis <i>Adam Korn, Tier 3</i>	Voyager Pseudo-Dynamic Assignment <i>Chris Simons, PBS&J</i>	

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	<p>Accessibility Modeling <i>Simon Court, BaseMap</i></p> <p>The Geodatabase - Why should I move from my shape files? <i>Keith Hangland, Citilabs</i></p> <p>Data resources for transportation analysis <i>ESRI</i></p>	<p>New Assignment Methods in Voyager - Theory & Tests <i>Matthew Martimo & Zhong Zhou, Citilabs</i></p>	Office Hours
15:00 - 15:30	Break		
15:30 - 17:00	GIS in the Labs	Modeling Tolls	
	<p>Cube Extensions for ArcGIS <i>Matthew Martimo, Citilabs</i></p>	<p>Toll Road Modeling Application <i>Wilbur Smith Associates</i></p>	
	<p>Scenario and Enterprise Geodatabase in Cube <i>Minhua Wang, Citilabs</i></p>	<p>Modeling Point to Point Tolls <i>Mathew McKerrow, AECOM</i></p>	
		<p>Updating Models and Its Impact on Ongoing Studies in Houston <i>Todd Brauer, Citilabs</i></p>	
		<p>Toll Road Modeling with Voyager <i>David Schellinger, Systra Mobility</i></p>	
19:00 - 21:30	Group Dinner		

Tuesday November 4

08:00 - 09:00	Continental Breakfast		
09:00 - 10:30	Classic Voyager	Simulation	Office Hours
	<p>Norwegian Regional Modeling System <i>SV Norway</i></p>	<p>Transit Priority Modeling in Jacksonville with Dynasim <i>Alberto Brignone, Citilabs</i></p>	

	<p>MASTEM <i>Nicholas Holyoak, UniSA</i></p> <p>Conversion from emme2 to Cube Voyager in Albuquerque <i>Ken Vaughn, Citilabs</i></p> <p>Cube in Norway <i>Olav K Malmin, SINTEF</i></p>	<p>Dynasim Application in Bangkok <i>Nate Chanchareon, Citilabs</i></p> <p>Dynasim 3 <i>Alberto Brignone, Citilabs</i></p>	
10:30 - 11:00	Break		
11:00 -12:30	Extending Voyager	Public Transit	
	<p>Matrix Estimation with Analyst <i>Lawrence Liao, Cambridge Systematics</i></p>	<p>Application of Voyager's PT Module in Portugal - VTM <i>Isabel Pimenta</i></p>	
	<p>Swedish National Freight Model <i>SIKA</i></p>	<p>New Starts Forecasting in the USA using PT <i>Wade White, Citilabs</i></p>	
	<p>Houston Strategic Evacuation Model with Avenue <i>Colby Brown, Citilabs</i></p>	<p>Modeling Timetables with PT <i>Alberto Brignone, Citilabs</i></p>	
12:30 - 14:00	Group Lunch		
14:00 - 15:00	Advancing Voyager	Land Use Modeling	Office Hours with Assignment Specialist
	<p>Cluster in Milwaukee <i>Christopher Heibert, SEWRPC</i></p>	<p>PECAS Application in Cube <i>Michael Clay, Auburn University</i></p>	
	<p>(Student Award) ITS Evaluation using Voyager <i>Yan Xiao, FIU</i></p>	<p>Uplan, TDM, Environmental Model <i>Troy Hightower, Kern COG</i></p>	
	<p>Cluster Application of the UK National Model <i>Tor Vorraa, Citilabs</i></p>	<p>Cube Land <i>Wade White, Citilabs</i></p>	
16:00 - 20:30	Optional: Aerial Tramway and Dinner		

Wednesday November 5

08:00 - 09:00	Continental Breakfast
09:00 - 10:30	Helping you to make a better future
10:30 - 12:00	Planned developments
12:00 - 13:30	Futura 08 Awards Luncheon <i>Guest Speaker, Terry Bills, Director of Transportation, ESRI</i>
15:00 - 17:00	Optional: Miniature Golf Tournament

Thursday November 6

09:00 - 16:00 PAID TRAINING	Building GIS Applications with Cube* <i>Instructor: Colby Brown</i>
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Friday November 7

09:00 - 16:00 PAID TRAINING	Introduction to Cube Land* <i>Instructor: Colby Brown</i>
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